

1883.

THE THIRTY-FIRST
ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
OF THE
CITY OF CONCORD,
FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1883:

Together with other Annual Reports and Papers relating
to the Affairs of the City.



CONCORD, N. H.:
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MUNICIPAL REGULATIONS

FOR PAYMENT OF BILLS AGAINST THE CITY.

All persons furnishing materials or service for the city, or aid to the city poor, should be particular to take the name of the person ordering such service, material, or aid, and should *know* that the person is duly authorized to contract said liability.

The city will not be holden for merchandise sold or delivered on city pauper account, except on the written order of the Overseer of the Poor, and for no longer time than until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified.

Duplicate copies will be required of all bills payable by the city, furnished on county pauper account.

All bills against the city must be approved by the person authorizing the charge; and unless this is done, no action can be had upon the bill by the Committee on Accounts, and no order will be given for its payment.

When bills are certified to as above, and left with the city clerk before 12 o'clock of the day of meeting of the Committee on Accounts, they will be audited by them, and, if approved, be ready for payment on the Wednesday following.

Meetings of the Committee are held on the Thursday next preceding the last Saturday in each month, at 2 o'clock p. m. The meetings will occur during 1884, on Jan. 24, Feb. 21, Mar. 27, Apr. 24, May 29, June 26, July 24, Aug. 28, Sept. 25, Oct. 23, Nov. 27, Dec. 25.

JOSEPH A. COCHRAN, *City Clerk.*

CITY GOVERNMENT.

CONCORD, N. H.

Inaugurated fourth Tuesday in January biennially.

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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR.

Elected by inhabitants biennially in November.

Salary, \$500 per annum.

EDGAR H. WOODMAN.

Office: 60 North Main St.

ALDERMEN.

Elected by inhabitants of each ward biennially in November. No salary as such, but allowed \$60 each for committee service.

Ward 1—JOHN E. MARDEN.

Ward 2—CHARLES H. CLOUGH.

Ward 3—ALBERT SALTMARSH.

Ward 4—EMORY N. SHEPARD.

OLIVER PILLSBURY.

JOHN C. THORN.

Ward 5—EDWARD DOW.

HENRY A. MANN.

Ward 6—JOHN T. BATCHELDER.

JOSEPH H. LANE.

GARDNER B. EMMONS.

Ward 7—JOHN H. LAMPREY.

CITY CLERK.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$800 per annum and fees.

JOSEPH A. COCHRAN.

Office: City Hall building.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Elected by inhabitants of each ward biennially in November. No salary as such, but allowed \$30 each for committee service.

PRESIDENT—GEORGE H. EMERY.

Ward 1—JOHN W. POWELL.

Ward 2—FALES P. VIRGIN.

Ward 3—JEREMIAH QUINN.

Ward 4—JAMES F. ROONEY.

EDWARD A. MOULTON.

HARRISON A. ROBY.

Ward 5—IRVIN S. RING.

FREEBORN S. ABBOTT.

Ward 6—GEORGE H. EMERY.

HORACE S. FAIRBANKS.

LEONARD W. BEAN.

Ward 7—DANIEL B. SMITH.

CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL.

Elected by Common Council biennially in January. Salary, \$50 per annum.

LEWIS L. MOWER.

Office: 87 So. State St.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

Aldermen appointed by Mayor, and Councilmen appointed by President of Common Council, biennially in January.

On Finance—The Mayor; Aldermen Pillsbury and Lamprey;
Councilmen Fairbanks and Roby.

On Accounts and Claims—Aldermen Shepard and Emmons;
Councilmen Ring and Moulton.

On Lands and Buildings—Aldermen Lamprey and Lane;
Councilmen Abbott and Ring.

- On Public Instruction*—Aldermen Thorn and Saltmarsh ;
Councilmen Smith and Moulton.
- On Streets and Commons*—Aldermen Clough and Marden ;
Councilmen Bean and Powell.
- On Roads and Bridges*—Aldermen Dow and Pillsbury ;
Councilmen Rooney and Fairbanks.
- On Fire Department*—Aldermen Batchelder and Mann ;
Councilmen Roby and Fairbanks.
- On Lighting Streets*—Aldermen Lane and Thorn ;
Councilmen Abbott and Bean.
- On City Farm*—Aldermen Saltmarsh and Emmons ;
Councilmen Smith and Quinn.
- On Cemeteries*—Aldermen Mann and Marden ;
Councilmen Virgin and Powell.

STANDING COMMITTEES IN BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN.

Appointed by Mayor biennially in January.

- On Elections and Returns*—Alderman Thorn.
- On Engrossed Ordinances*—Alderman Marden.
- On Bills on Second Reading*—Alderman Clough.
- On Police and Licenses*—Alderman Emmons.

ON SEWERS AND DRAINS.

Elected biennially in January by Board of Aldermen.

The Mayor, Aldermen Dow and Shepard.

STANDING COMMITTEES IN COMMON COUNCIL.

Appointed by President of Common Council biennially in January.

- On Elections and Returns*—Councilmen Roby and Smith.
- On Bills on Second Reading*—Councilmen Powell and Rooney.
- On Engrossed Ordinances*—Councilmen Quinn and Virgin.

CITY TREASURER.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Bond to the acceptance of Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Salary, \$250 per annum.

WILLIAM F. THAYER.

Office: First National Bank.

CITY MESSENGER.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, 25 cents per hour of actual service.

RICHARD P. SANBORN.

COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

Elected annually in April by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Bond within six days to satisfaction of the Board. Salary, five mills for each dollar of first \$60,000; seven and one half mills for each dollar over \$60,000.

CHARLES T. HUNTOON.

Office: Brown's Block, Warren St.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.**BOARD OF EDUCATION.**

Union School-District.

Three elected annually in March by inhabitants of Union school-district. Salary, \$225 per annum for the Board.

JOSEPH C. A. HILL,	Term expires March,	1884.
DANIEL B. DONOVAN,	" "	1884.
JOHN C. THORN,	" "	1885.
PARSONS B. COGSWELL,	" "	1885.
HENRY J. CRIPPEN,	" "	1885.
AI B. THOMPSON,	" "	1886.
WILLIAM M. CHASE,	" "	1886.
GEORGE W. CROCKETT,	" "	1886.
One vacancy.		

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Union School-District.

Appointed by Board of Education annually in July. Salary, \$1,300 per annum.

WARREN CLARK.

Office: Sanborn's Block, Capitol St.

SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEES.**WEST CONCORD—DISTRICT No. 3.**

One member elected annually in March by inhabitants of district. Salary, \$18 per annum for the Board.

HARRISON PARTRIDGE,	Term expires March, 1884.
ELLA R. HOLDEN,	“ “ 1885.
FRED. A. EASTMAN,	“ “ 1886.

EAST CONCORD—DISTRICT No. 12.

One member elected annually in March by inhabitants of district. Salary, \$18 per annum for the Board.

ANDREW S. FARNUM,	Term expires March, 1884.
GEORGE H. CURTIS,	“ “ 1885.

PENACOOK—DISTRICT No. 20.

One member elected annually in March by inhabitants of district. Salary, \$27 per annum for the Board.

WILLIAM W. ALLEN,	Term expires March, 1884.
EDMUND H. BROWN,	“ “ 1885.
ALFRED E. EMERY,	“ “ 1886.

FOR OTHER DISTRICTS.

Comprising all districts in the city except Nos. 3, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 20. Elected annually in March by City Council. Salary, \$170 per annum for the Board.

WILLIAM W. FLINT.
ABIAL ROLFE.
CHARLES E. STANIELS.

TRUANT OFFICERS.

Appointed biennially in January by Mayor, and confirmed by Aldermen. Salary, as such, none.

JOHN CONNELL.
JAMES E. RAND.
CHARLES H. JONES.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

TRUSTEES.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, none.

Ward 1—ABIAL ROLFE.

Ward 2—JOSEPH T. CLOUGH.

Ward 3—PAUL R. HOLDEN.

Ward 4—WILLIAM L. FOSTER.

Ward 5—LYMAN D. STEVENS.*

HENRY W. STEVENS.†

Ward 6—JAMES S. NORRIS.

Ward 7—REV. THOMAS G. VALPEY.

LIBRARIAN.

Appointed annually by trustees of library. Salary, \$600 per annum, including assistant.

DANIEL F. SECOMB.

Board of Trade Building.

ASSESSORS.

Elected biennially by inhabitants of each ward. Salary, \$3 per day of actual service.

Ward 1—ABIAL ROLFE.

Ward 2—JOHN G. TALLANT.

Ward 3—ISAAC H. FARNUM.*

HARRISON PARTRIDGE.†

Ward 4—GILBERT H. SEAVEY.

Ward 5—CURTIS WHITE.

Ward 6—GEORGE S. DENNETT.

Ward 7—JONATHAN B. WEEKS.

Chairman—GILBERT H. SEAVEY.

Clerk—ABIAL ROLFE.

* Resigned.

† Elected to fill vacancy.

CITY WATER-WORKS.

WATER COMMISSIONERS.

Two annually appointed in March, for three years, by Mayor, and confirmed by Aldermen. Salary—none.

EDGAR H. WOODMAN, MAYOR, *ex-officio*.

JAMES L. MASON, Term expires March 31, 1884.

JAMES R. HILL, “ “ 1884.

SAMUEL S. KIMBALL, “ “ 1885.

LUTHER P. DURGIN, “ “ 1885.

JOHN KIMBALL, “ “ 1886.

WILLIAM M. CHASE, “ “ 1886.

President—JOHN KIMBALL.

Clerk—WILLIAM M. CHASE.

SUPERINTENDENT OF WATER-WORKS.

Elected annually in April by Water Commissioners. Salary, \$1,200 per annum.

V. CHARLES HASTINGS.

Office: White's Block, Capitol St.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

CHIEF ENGINEER.

Appointed annually in January by Mayor, and confirmed by Aldermen. Salary, \$200 per annum.

JOHN M. HILL.

ASSISTANT ENGINEERS.

Appointed annually in January by Mayor, and confirmed by Aldermen.

FOR PRECINCT.

Salary, \$100 each per annum.

DANIEL B. NEWHALL.

JOSEPH S. MERRILL.

B. FRANK TUCKER.

CITY OF CONCORD.

FOR PENACOOK.

Salary, \$15.00 per annum.

NATHANIEL S. GALE.*

WILLIAM H. ALLEN.†

FOR EAST CONCORD.

Salary, \$10.00 per annum.

JOHN E. FRYE.

FOR WEST CONCORD.

Salary, \$10 per annum.

HARRISON PARTRIDGE.

STEWARD CENTRAL FIRE STATION.

Appointed annually in January by Mayor, and confirmed by Aldermen. Salary, \$600 per annum.

EBEN F. RICHARDSON.

ASSISTANT STEWARD CENTRAL FIRE STATION.

Appointed annually in January by Mayor, and confirmed by Aldermen. Salary, \$600 per annum.

GEORGE L. OSGOOD.

SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE ALARM.

Appointed annually in January by Mayor, and confirmed by Aldermen. Salary, \$200 per annum.

EBEN F. RICHARDSON.

SUPERINTENDENT OF CITY CLOCKS.

Appointed annually in January by Mayor, and confirmed by Aldermen. Salary, \$50.00 per annum.

JOSEPH B. STANLEY.

* Resigned.

† Elected to fill vacancy.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE JUSTICE.

Appointed by Governor and Council. Salary, \$600 per annum, fixed by legislature.

SYLVESTER DANA.

Office: 78 North Main St.

SPECIAL POLICE JUSTICE.

Appointed by Governor and Council. Salary, \$2.00 per day of actual service.

ARTHUR W. SILSBY.*

CITY SOLICITOR.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$100, and \$200 additional allowed for criminal business.

ROBERT A. RAY.

Office: Over First National Bank.

CLERK OF POLICE COURT.

Appointed by Police Justice. Salary, \$200 per annum, fixed by legislature.

RUFUS P. STANIELS.

CITY MARSHAL.

Appointed biennially in January by Mayor, and confirmed by Aldermen. Bond of \$300 required. Salary, \$900 per annum.

JOHN CONNELL.

Office: Corner North Main and Warren Sts.

ASSISTANT CITY MARSHAL.

Appointed biennially in January by Mayor, and confirmed by Aldermen. Bond of \$300 required. Salary, \$350 per annum.

GEORGE W. COREY.

Office: Penacook.

* Resigned November, 1883.

REGULAR POLICE AND NIGHT WATCH.

Appointed biennially in January by Mayor, and confirmed by aldermen. Salary, \$800 each per annum.

JAMES E. RAND.
CHARLES H. JONES.
EDGAR A. F. HAMMOND.

SPECIAL POLICE.

Appointed biennially in January by Mayor, and confirmed by Aldermen. Salary, \$2.00 each per day for actual service.

WARD 1.

Henry E. Chamberlain,	George W. Holmes,
George A. Hoyt,	William R. Green,
B. Frank Varney,	John Tucker,
William B. Cunningham.	

WARD 2.

Moody S. Farnum,	Charles H. Sanders,
Anthony P. Cate,	Horatio H. Hussey.

WARD 3.

George Partridge,	Caleb P. Little,
Frank H. Currier,	Simeon Partridge,
Harrison Partridge.	

WARD 4.

Samuel M. Griffin,	James J. Donagan,
Richard P. Sanborn,	Joseph J. Wyman,
Richard M. Ordway,	Nathaniel Bond,
Frank S. Dodge,	Edwin A. Miller,
Edwin D. Clough,	John T. Kimball,
Jeremiah P. W. Roach,	Horace S. Abbott.

WARD 5.

James M. Jones,	Edward Dow,
James H. Rowell,	Joseph H. Mace,

George A. Foster,
Josiah C. Shaw,
Charles E. Savory,
George S. Locke,
Daniel E. Howard,

Alvah C. Ferrin,
Eben F. Richardson,
John E. Gove,
Thomas B. Underhill,
Charles T. Lane.

WARD 6.

John H. Carr,
Lysander H. Carroll,
Eugene Savage,
George H. Silsby,
John C. Kilburn,
John T. Batchelder,
John D. Teel,
Jonathan L. Pickering,

Norris A. Dunklee,
David L. Neal,
Edward H. Houston,
Albert H. Fellows,
Henry W. Clapp,
Hiram O. Marsh,
Jonathan F. Cotton,
William H. H. Patch.

WARD 7.

Jacob E. Hutchins,
John E. Baker,
Lewis L. Mower,
Henry Churchill,
Francis H. Upton,

William W. Critchett,
Perry G. Curtice,
George W. Chesley,
John F. Bartlett,
George A. Huntoon.

SPECIAL POLICE AT RAILROAD.

James M. Jones,
Levi A. Heath,
George C. Barton,
Warren G. Norris,
Edgar M. Howe,
Albert Smith,

Robert P. Blake,
Wilson D. Hodgdon,
Jacob B. Jones,
Horace Plummer,
Harvey E. Capen,
J. Henry Hamilton.

RAILROAD POLICE.

Conductors.

James B. Colby,
Edward W. Harvey,
Charles H. Wyatt,
Arthur L. Currier,

Charles H. Noyes,
George W. Mansur,
Henry J. Eaton,
Chester J. Byron,
Fred C. Jones.

STREET DEPARTMENT.**COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS.**

Elected annually in January by City Council. Bond satisfactory to Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Salary, \$600 per annum.

EDGAR H. WOODMAN.

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS.

Appointed at pleasure of Commissioner of Highways. Salary, agreed price per day for working days.

JAMES H. ROWELL.

House: 45 School St.

LICENSED DRAIN-LAYERS.

Appointed annually in January by Mayor, and confirmed by Aldermen. No salary.

William H. Kenney,
Michael Murphy,
Niram M. Keyes,

Lyman R. Fellows,
Richard M. Ordway,
Joel W. Bean,

Michael Bateman.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

Elected biennially in January by City Council.

FOR WARD 1.

Salary, \$25.00 per annum.

J. EDWIN MARDEN,

Penacook.

FOR WARD 2.

Salary, \$10.00 per annum.

CHARLES H. CLOUGH,

East Concord.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

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FOR WARDS 3, 4, 5, 6, AND 7.

Salary, \$150 per annum.

JOSEPH A. COCHRAN,

City Hall.

SUPERINTENDENT OF CITY FARM.

Elected annually in January by Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Salary, \$500 per annum, including Matron's services.

CALEB P. LITTLE.

CITY PHYSICIAN.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$1.00 for each visit to paupers.

DR. GEORGE COOK.

Office: Cyrus Hill Building.

ASSISTANT CITY PHYSICIAN.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$1.00 for each visit to paupers.

DR. ALFRED E. EMERY.

Office: Penacook.

HEALTH OFFICERS.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, \$1.00 per hour for actual service.

JOHN CONNELL.

GEORGE COOK.

ALFRED E. EMERY.

REGISTRAR OF VITAL STATISTICS.

The City Clerk is made Registrar by General Laws. Fees, fifteen cents for each birth, marriage, and death received, recorded, and returned to State Registrar.

JOSEPH A. COCHRAN.

Office: City Hall.

SUPERINTENDENT OF PENACOOK PARK.

Elected annually in April by City Council. Salary, \$50.00 per annum.

O. F. RICHARDSON.

West Concord.

CEMETERY COMMITTEES.

One from each ward (except Wards 4, 5, and 6, consolidated), elected annually in January by City Council for three years. Salary, none.

WARD 1.

JOHN A. COBURN,	Term expires January, 1884.
JOHN G. WARREN,	“ “ 1885.
JOHN WHITAKER,	“ “ 1886.

WARD 2.

JOSEPH E. PLUMMER,	Term expires January, 1884.
CHARLES E. STANIELS,	“ “ 1885.
JOHN E. FRYE,	“ “ 1886.

WARD 3.

OMAR L. SHEPARD,	Term expires January, 1884.
BENJAMIN T. PUTNEY,	“ “ 1885.
JAMES M. CROSSMAN,	“ “ 1886.

WARDS 4, 5, AND 6.

JOHN E. ROBERTSON,	Term expires January, 1884.
JAMES MINOT,	“ “ 1885.
JAMES H. CHASE,	“ “ 1886.

WARD 7.

WOODBURY FLANDERS,	Term expires January, 1884.
ISAAC N. ABBOTT,	“ “ 1885.
JOHN HAZELTINE,	“ “ 1886.

UNDERTAKERS.

Elected biennially in January by City Council. Salary, none.

FOR OLD AND BLOSSOM HILL CEMETERIES.

CHARLES CROW.*
AUGUSTUS C. FISHER.
GEORGE L. LOVEJOY.

FOR WOODLAWN CEMETERY, PENACOOK.

J. FRANK HASTINGS.
JOHN A. COBURN.

FOR EAST CONCORD CEMETERY.

JOSEPH E. PLUMMER.

FOR WEST CONCORD CEMETERY.

JAMES M. CROSSMAN.

FOR MILLVILLE CEMETERY.

WILLIAM H. CURRIER.

FOR HORSE HILL CEMETERY.

LEWET W. POWELL.

FOR SOUCCOCK CEMETERY.

JONATHAN P. LEAVITT.

WARD OFFICERS.

MODERATORS.

Elected biennially in November by voters of each ward. Salary, \$3 each per annum.

Ward 1—JAMES H. FRENCH.
Ward 2—JOHN B. CURTIS.
Ward 3—GEORGE R. PARMENTER.
Ward 4—BENJAMIN E. BADGER.
Ward 5—CHARLES C. DANFORTH.

* Deceased.

Ward 6—GEORGE O. DICKERMAN.

Ward 7—HARRY G. SARGENT.

SELECTMEN.

Elected biennially in November by voters of each ward. Salary, \$5 each per annum.

Ward 1—WILLIAM H. MOODY.

MARTIN NOLAN.

ISAAC P. DURGIN.

Ward 2—ISAAC F. POTTER.

EDWARD J. LYLE.

WILLIAM P. CURTIS.

Ward 3—GEORGE TRICKEY.

GEORGE B. LITTLE.

ALVIN C. POWELL.

Ward 4—CHARLES H. JONES.

GEORGE F. KELLEY.

NATHANIEL BOND.

Ward 5—AUGUSTUS H. WIGGIN.

WARREN H. CORNING.

CHARLES T. LANE.

Ward 6—DAVID L. NEAL.

GEORGE L. THEOBALD.

GEORGE L. REED.

Ward 7—JOSEPH E. HUTCHINSON.

ALFRED CLARK.

CHARLES H. CRITCHETT.

WARD CLERKS.

Elected biennially in November by voters of each ward. Salary, \$5 each per annum.

Ward 1—FREDERICK M. MORSE.

Ward 2—FRANK P. CURTIS.

Ward 3—FRED A. EASTMAN.

Ward 4—CHARLES B. PETTENGILL.*

FRED N. LADD.†

CHARLES A. DAVIS.†

* Resigned. † Elected to fill vacancy.

Ward 5—GEORGE W. LINCOLN.

Ward 6—HOWARD M. COOK.

Ward 7—GEORGE B. WHITTREDGE.

INSPECTOR OF PETROLEUM.

Appointed annually in January by Mayor, and confirmed by Aldermen. ~~Fees~~ Fees, one fourth cent per gallon for inspections, paid by owner of oil.

J. HENRY HAMILTON.

FISH AND GAME WARDENS.

Elected annually in January by City Council. No fees.

FRED H. GOULD.

LOWELL EASTMAN.

HERBERT M. SABIN.

FALES P. VIRGIN.

DANIEL C. TENNY.

FENCE VIEWERS.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, \$2 each per day, paid by parties interested.

GEORGE W. CHESLEY.

CHARLES P. ROWELL.

MOSES H. BRADLEY.

POUND-KEEPER.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, two cents each for impounding sheep, and five cents each for all other creatures, paid by owners of creatures.

BENJAMIN T. PUTNEY.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, for sealing each scale-beam, steelyard, or scale, 25 cents, and for each measure, 10 cents,—five or more to one person, half price,—paid by owner of scales or measures.

GEORGE D. RICHARDSON.

Office: 19 North Main St.

SEALERS OF LEATHER.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, reasonable price, paid by person employing.

JOHN C. THORN.
CYRUS R. ROBINSON.
DAVID E. EVERETT.

CULLERS OF STAVES.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, bbl. staves, 28 cts.; hhd. staves, 34 cts.; pipe staves, 40 cts.; butt staves, 45 cts.; hoops, 50 cts.; heading, 33 cts. per M.,—paid by party for whom culling is done.

LEONARD BELL.
WILLIAM HAYWARD.
DANIEL HUFF.

WEIGHERS OF HAY, COAL, &c.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, reasonable price per load, paid by party requiring the service.

Joseph H. Abbott,	Aaron B. Young,*
D. Arthur Brown,	Henry E. Chamberlin,
Seth R. Dole,	Lyman Merrill,
Lewis B. Hoit,	Geo. R. Purington,
J. Frank Hoit,	Sylvester Stevens,
Patrick H. Larkin,	John E. Robertson,
John S. Locke,	Charles P. Rowell,
George S. Locke,	John N. Hill,
Henry W. Ranlet,	Charles S. Parker,
Omar L. Shepard,	John H. Burkhardt.
George P. Whittredge,	

SURVEYORS OF MASONRY.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, reasonable price, paid by party employing.

Richard M. Ordway,	Edward Dow,
Nahum Robinson,	William H. Kenney,
Theoph. B. Martin,*	Lyman R. Fellows,
	Benjamin H. Couch.

* Deceased.

SURVEYORS OF PAINTING.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, reasonable price, paid by party employing.

Edward Dow,	Edward A. Moulton,
Theoph. B. Martin,*	Charles E. Savory,
	George N. Smart.

SURVEYORS OF STONE.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, reasonable price, paid by party employing.

Simeon Abbott,	Daniel Farnum,
Edward Dow,	Ira Foster,
Geo. W. Emerton,	Albert H. Knowles,
	Charles L. Rowe.

SURVEYORS OF WOOD, LUMBER, AND BARK.

Elected annually in January by City Council. Fees, for surveying shingles and clapboards, 4 cents per M.; boards and timber, 16 cents per M.; measuring cord wood, 4 cents per cord or load, or 40 cents per hour for over twenty cords; paid by person employing.

Arthur G. Stevens,	John H. Burkhardt,
Charles W. Batchelder,	John Abbott,
John Ballard,	Andrew Bunker,
Albert A. Currier,	Abner G. Hall,
Daniel K. Richardson,	Edwin D. Clough,
Edwin F. Elliott,	George Frye,
Thomas D. Avery,	James F. Nelson,
Jacob E. Hutchins,	Robert Moore,
Theophilus B. Martin,*	Weston Cofran,
Benjamin H. Couch,	A. Frank Holt,
Thomas Kilburn,	Omar L. Shepard,
Edward Runnells,	Jonathan B. Weeks,
David R. Richardson,	Charles Couch,
Daniel S. Webster,	John H. Rolfe,
John T. Batchelder,	William Ballard,
William A. Chesley,	Walter W. Cochran,

* Deceased.

Prentice S. Danforth,
Lucius L. Farwell,
Jeremiah S. Noyes,
S. Lowell French,
Nathaniel S. Shaw,
Charles Kimball,
Stephen K. Little,
Alfred Clark,
Daniel A. Brown,
Joseph T. Clough,
Andrew S. Farnum,
John C. Linehan,
William K. Holt,*
John F. Scott,
John Whitaker,
Nathaniel P. Richardson,

Philip Flanders,
Eben F. Richardson,
Albert A. Moore,
Gilbert H. Seavey,
Cyrus Runnells,
Timothy C. Rolfe,
David E. Everett,
Charles H. Brown,
Theodore W. Colby,
Lowell Eastman,
William H. Buntin,
Henry Martin,
Joseph S. Abbott,
Jonathan L. Pickering,
Curtis White,
Charles H. Morrill,

Nathaniel H. Shattuck.

* Deceased.

1883.

Valuation of the city, \$10,023,216.00

Tax assessed for the year, \$169,498.95

Rate of taxation, \$1.30 per \$100

.17 per \$100 additional for Union School District.

.30 per \$100 additional for Precinct Tax.

POLLS, VALUATION, AND TAXES ASSESSED.

The number of polls, and the tax assessed on the real and personal estate in the city of Concord, since 1860 :

Year.	No. of Polls.	Valuation.	Tax.
1860	2,577	\$4,307,192	\$47,082.25
1861	2,497	4,423,936	46,290.48
1862	2,350	4,308,568	50,945.01
1863	2,454	3,775,206	60,293.82
1864	2,539	3,832,800	89,931.97
1865	2,495	5,549,002	158,787.29
1866	2,762	4,934,082	116,192.97
1867	2,822	5,006,774	145,173.49
1868	3,120	5,378,365	126,889.71
1869	3,205	5,581,459	146,791.64
1870	3,187	5,751,928	133,953.94
1871	3,338	5,891,993	137,844.70
1872	3,767	5,917,054	141,122.97
1873	3,613	9,012,650	158,281.13
1874	3,784	9,000,526	171,045.61
1875	3,941	9,216,195	175,234.68
1876	3,911	9,222,625	163,768.29
1877	4,015	9,405,117	177,040.27
1878	3,869	9,241,485	162,038.53
1879	3,536	10,604,465	155,964.99
1880	3,672	10,150,586	172,831.12
1881.	Polls.	Valuation.	Tax.
Ward 1,	392	\$831,450	\$10,937.50
2,	213	405,019	4,695.63
3,	210	434,245	5,234.39
4,	763	2,181,846	34,435.61
5,	712	3,155,864	51,312.78
6,	818	2,376,947	37,091.10
7,	397	677,523	7,877.51
Non-resident,			1,701.03
	3,505	\$10,062,894	\$153,285.55
1882.	Polls.	Valuation.	Tax.
Ward 1,	402	\$816,552	\$10,373.39
2,	210	439,108	4,811.94
3,	239	439,868	4,913.00
4,	907	2,299,970	35,356.97

FUNDED DEBT.

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1882.	Polls.	Valuation.	Tax.
Ward 5,	690	3,206,206	49,356.47
6,	820	2,462,667	38,094.66
7,	393	643,881	7,715.17
Non-resident,			1,320.00
	<hr/> 3,661	<hr/> \$10,308,052	<hr/> \$151,941.54
1883.	Polls.	Valuation.	Tax.
Ward 1,	447	811,471	11,279.32
2,	208	420,500	5,316.36
3,	244	442,195	5,803.32
4,	835	2,176,700	38,845.05
5,	814	3,129,413	55,244.56
6,	840	2,393,461	42,509.03
7,	428	649,476	8,899.85
Non-resident,			1,604.46
	<hr/> 3,816	<hr/> \$10,023,216	<hr/> \$169,498.95

MUNICIPAL FUNDED DEBT.

CITY BONDS PAYABLE AS FOLLOWS :

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
Jan. 1, 1884,	6,	annually,	\$1,500
April 1, 1884,	6,	semi-annually,	7,000
Nov. 1, 1884,	6,	semi-annually,	5,000
Jan. 1, 1885,	6,	annually,	2,000
April 1, 1885,	6,	semi-annually,	5,000
Nov. 1, 1885,	6,	semi-annually,	9,000
Jan. 1, 1886,	6,	annually,	1,500
April 1, 1886,	6,	semi-annually,	1,000
Nov. 1, 1886,	6,	semi-annually,	10,000
Jan. 1, 1887,	6,	annually,	1,500
Oct. 1, 1887,	6,	semi-annually,	10,000
Jan. 1, 1888,	6,	annually,	1,000
Oct. 1, 1888,	6,	semi-annually,	8,500
Jan. 1, 1889,	6,	annually,	2,000
Oct. 1, 1889,	6,	semi-annually,	10,000
Jan. 1, 1890,	6,	annually,	2,000
Oct. 1, 1890,	6,	semi-annually,	10,000

When due.	Rate of interest.	Payable.	Amount.
Jan. 1, 1891,	6,	annually,	\$1,000
Oct. 1, 1891,	6,	semi-annually,	6,250
Nov. 1, 1891,	6,	semi-annually,	6,000
Oct. 1, 1892,	6,	semi-annually,	2,000
Nov. 1, 1892,	6,	semi-annually,	10,000
Oct. 1, 1893,	6,	semi-annually,	4,250
Nov. 1, 1893,	6,	semi-annually,	8,000
Oct. 1, 1894,	6,	semi-annually,	4,000
Nov. 1, 1894,	6,	semi-annually,	7,000
Oct. 1, 1895,	6,	semi-annually,	3,000
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			\$138,500

NOTES ON ACCOUNT OF EXTENSION OF PARK AND CAPITOL STREETS.

Aug. 1, 1884,	4,	semi-annually,	\$5,000
Aug. 1, 1885,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000
Aug. 1, 1886,	4,	semi-annually,	5,000
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			\$153,500

CITY DEBT NOT FUNDED.

Coupons overdue, not presented,	.	.	\$292.50
Interest accrued, not yet due,	.	.	1,865.00
Due school-districts,	.	.	1,569.15
Awards for land damage not yet accepted,			735.00
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			\$4,461.65
Funded debt,	.	.	153,500.00
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Total city debt,	.	.	\$157,961.65

AVAILABLE ASSETS.

Cash in treasury,	.	.	\$12,101.30
Collectible taxes, 1881,	.	.	1,535.07
“ “ 1882,	.	.	3,137.13
“ “ 1883,	.	.	45,998.93
Due from county of Merrimack,	.	.	1,891.62
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			\$64,664.07
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Indebtedness above assets,	.	.	\$93,297.58

PRECINCT'S FUNDED DEBTS.

CITY PRECINCT BONDS (STATE-HOUSE LOAN) PAYABLE AS FOLLOWS :

When due.	Rate of interest.	Interest payable.	Amount.
Dec. 1, 1884,	6,	semi-annually,	\$1,000.00
Dec. 1, 1885,	6,	"	1,500.00
Dec. 1, 1886,	6,	"	2,500.00
Dec. 1, 1887,	6,	"	3,000.00
Dec. 1, 1888,	6,	"	3,500.00
Dec. 1, 1889,	6,	"	2,000.00
Dec. 1, 1890,	6,	"	3,000.00
Dec. 1, 1891,	6,	"	2,000.00
Dec. 1, 1892,	6,	"	2,000.00
Dec. 1, 1893,	6,	"	2,000.00
Dec. 1, 1894,	6,	"	3,000.00
Dec. 1, 1895,	6,	"	10,000.00
Dec. 1, 1896,	6,	"	7,000.00

SEWER PRECINCT NOTES.

Dec. 1, 1884,	6,	annually,	\$8,000.00
Dec. 1, 1885,	6,	"	8,000.00
Dec. 1, 1886,	4,	"	8,000.00

WATER PRECINCT BONDS.

April 1, 1892,	6,	semi-annually,	\$200,000.00
April 1, 1894,	6,	"	130,000.00
April 1, 1895,	6,	"	20,000.00
Oct. 1, 1912,	4,	"	45,000.00
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			\$461,500.00

PRECINCT'S DEBTS NOT FUNDED.

Bonds overdue, but not presented,	.	\$100.00	
Coupons overdue, but not presented,	.	433.00	
Interest accrued, but not yet due,	.	\$319.17	
		<hr/>	\$852.17
Precinct's funded debts,	.	.	461,500.00
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Precinct's debts,	.	.	\$462,352.17
Less Water-Works bonds on hand,	.	.	2,000.00
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Net precinct debts,	.	.	\$460,352.17

RECAPITULATION.

Net city debts above assets,	.	.	.	\$93,297.58
Net precinct's debts above assets,	.	.	.	460,352.17
Aggregate indebtedness of city and precinct over available assets,				<hr/>
				\$553,649.75
Aggregate city and precinct indebtedness, January 1, 1883,	.	.	.	\$569,831.56
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Decrease for the year,	.	.	.	\$16,181.81

PROPERTY

BELONGING TO THE CITY HAVING AN ACTUAL CASH VALUE, BUT NOT
CONSIDERED AS AVAILABLE ASSETS.

Real Estate.

City hall lot and half of building, . . .	\$25,000.00
City farm pasture and quarries, . . .	3,000.00
Penacook park,	1,500.00
Market place on Warren street, . . .	10,000.00
City store-house, lot and gravel banks, . .	5,000.00
Lot corner Warren and Liberty streets, . .	700.00
Land at East Concord, near cemetery, . .	300.00
Engine house, West Concord, . . .	800.00
Engine house, East Concord, . . .	3,000.00
Alert Hose house, Washington street, . .	2,000.00
Good-Will hose-house,	6,000.00
Central fire-station,	35,000.00
Pioneer engine-house, Penacook, . . .	7,500.00
Gravel bank, East Concord, . . .	100.00
House and lot on Plains,	300.00
Lot for ward-house, West street, . . .	475.00
	—————\$100,675.00

Fire Department.

Steamer "Governor Hill,"	\$4,000.00
Steamer Kearsarge,	3,000.00
Steamer Pioneer,	3,000.00
Hook and Ladder carriage,	1,500.00
Kearsarge Hose carriage,	600.00
Eagle Hose carriage,	600.00
Alert Hose carriage,	300.00
Good-Will Hose carriage,	400.00
East Concord hand engine,	400.00
West Concord hand engine,	400.00
Leather and fabric hose,	3,500.00
Implements in charge of fire companies, .	3,000.00
Fire alarm,	2,000.00
Four horses,	800.00
Harnesses and stable fixtures,	300.00

Supply wagon and sleigh,	\$200.00	
Wagon and sleigh for Central Station, .	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$24,100.00

Street Department.

Lumber, stone, &c., at city storehouse,	\$500.00	
Three horses,	500.00	
Two stone rollers,	250.00	
Three street sprinklers,	600.00	
Stone crusher, engine, and building, .	2,000.00	
Street sweeper,	300.00	
Horse-cart and wagon,	50.00	
Road machine,	125.00	
Large horse-sled,	50.00	
Small horse-sled,	15.00	
Two-horse dump-cart,	125.00	
Two derricks,	150.00	
Picks, shovels, and small tools, . .	200.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,865.00

Miscellaneous.

Books in City Library,	\$5,000.00	
Furniture City Hall building, . . .	1,000.00	
Furniture mayor's office,	55.00	
Furniture city marshal's office, . .	25.00	
Furniture collector's office,	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,180.00
Proceeds sale of city farm—say . . .		6,500.00
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		\$142,320.00

PRECINCT PROPERTY

BELONGING TO THE WATER PRECINCT, AND HAVING AN ACTUAL CASH
VALUE, BUT NOT CONSIDERED AS AVAILABLE ASSETS.

City Water-Works,	\$395,000.00
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CITY APPROPRIATIONS, 1883.

For payment of city bonds, . . .	\$12,000.00
interest on city debt, . . .	8,500.00
state tax,	25,376.00
county tax,	28,548.00
city paupers,	1,500.00
fire department,	12,000.00
incidentals and land damages, . . .	5,000.00
roads and bridges,	21,000.00
committee service,	1,100.00
police and watch,	5,000.00
printing and stationery,	1,500.00
professional services,	700.00
salaries,	5,500.00
public library,	2,000.00
schools,	22,225.00
decorating soldiers' graves, . . .	150.00
repairs city council-rooms, . . .	900.00
Penacook park,	1,000.00
Knibb patent suits,	1,000.00
foot-walk, Free bridge,	500.00
rent of Eagle hall for armory, . . .	200.00
ward-house, Ward 7,	2,000.00
	<hr/> \$157,699.00

PRECINCT APPROPRIATIONS, 1883.

For payment of precinct bonds, . . .	\$1,000.00
interest on State-house loan, . . .	2,600.00
payment of sewer notes,	8,000.00
interest on sewer notes,	1,720.00
lighting streets,	2,800.00
water for public fire hydrants, . . .	3,880.00
construction of sewers,	3,000.00
	<hr/> \$23,000.00

TRUST FUNDS.

CITY TREASURER'S ACCOUNT AS CUSTODIAN OF TRUST FUNDS.

The income from these trusts is paid only upon the Mayor's special order, certifying that the requirements of the trust are fulfilled.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

From Trust Funds held by the city, during the year 1883.

ABIAL WALKER TRUST.

For the benefit of the School Fund. Income to be divided in due proportion among all the school-districts in the city.

Capital, Jan. 1, 1883, . . . \$1,000.00

Invested in note of Concord,—city pre-
cinct, due 1895, 6 per cent., . . \$1,000.00

INCOME RECEIVED.

Cash, interest on city note, . . . \$60.00

EXPENDED.

Credited to School Fund, . . . \$60.00

G. PARKER LYON TRUST.

For the benefit of the Public Library. Annual income to be expended in the purchase of books for the Public Library.

Capital, Jan. 1, 1883, \$1,000.00

Invested in note of Concord, city precinct,
due 1896, 6 per cent., \$1,000.00

INCOME RECEIVED.

Cash for interest, \$60.00

EXPENDED.

Paid W. P. Fiske, treasurer city library, . . . \$60.00

FRANKLIN PIERCE TRUST.

For the benefit of the Public Library. Annual income to be expended in the purchase of books for the Public Library.

Capital, Jan. 1, 1883, \$1,000.00

Invested in city of Concord bond, due in
1885, at 6 per cent., \$1,000.00

INCOME RECEIVED.

Cash for interest, \$60.00

EXPENDED.

Paid W. P. Fiske, treasurer city library, . . . \$60.00

DAVID OSGOOD TRUST.

Income to be applied to the purchase of school-books for poor children.

Capital, Jan. 1, 1883, \$200.00

Invested in city of Nashua bond, due
1890, 6 per cent., \$200.00

INCOME RECEIVED.

Cash for interest, \$12.00

EXPENDED.

Paid order in favor of Edson C. Eastman, . . . \$12.00

COUNTESS OF RUMFORD TRUST.

For the benefit of the Concord Female Charitable Society. Income to be applied to the charitable uses and purposes of said society, and under its direction.

Capital, Jan. 1, 1883, \$2,000.00

Invested in note of Isaac A. Hill, dated
Jan. 27, 1877, secured by mortgage of
real estate and surety, six per cent., \$2,000.00

INCOME RECEIVED.

Cash for interest, \$120.00

EXPENDED.

Paid S. W. Pillsbury, treasurer of the Society, . \$120.00

OLD CEMETERY FUND.

One half of proceeds of sales of lots. Income to be devoted to the care, protection and ornamentation of the Old Cemetery, through its committee.

Capital, Jan. 1, 1883, . . . \$715.00

Invested in Concord Water-Works
bonds, due 1892, at 6 per cent., . . \$700.00

Cash on deposit, 15.00
\$715.00

INCOME RECEIVED.

Cash for interest, \$42.00

Cash for interest, 1.64
\$43.64

EXPENDED.

Paid J. H. Chase, for cemetery committee, \$42.00

Balance on hand, 1.64
\$43.64

BLOSSOM HILL CEMETERY FUND.

One half of proceeds of sales of lots. Income for the care, protection, and ornamentation of the Blossom Hill Cemetery, through its committee.

Capital, Jan. 1, 1883, . . .	\$3,882.61	
Added during 1883, . . .	689.95	
	<hr/>	\$4,572.56
Carried to income to fill appro-		
priation,		372.64
Capital, Dec. 31, 1883, . . .		<hr/> \$4,199.92
Invested in U. S. bonds, 4 per cent., .	\$550.00	
Merrimack county bonds, 5 " .	900.00	
N. H. bonds, 6 " .	200.00	
City of Concord bonds, 6 " .	200.00	
City of Concord bonds, 4 " .	1,000.00	
Town of Franklin, 4½ " .	700.00	
Cash on hand,	649.92	
	<hr/>	\$4,199.92

INCOME RECEIVED.

Cash for interest on hand Jan. 1, 1883, .	\$222.91	
Cash for interest, 1883,	154.45	
Drawn from cash for accrued interest, .	372.64	
	<hr/>	\$750.00

EXPENDED.

Paid James H. Chase for cemetery committee, .	\$750.00
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WEST CONCORD CEMETERY FUND.

One half of proceeds of sales of lots. Income to be devoted to the care, protection, and ornamentation of West Concord Cemetery, through its committee.

Capital, Jan. 1, 1883, . . .	\$65.00	
Added during 1883, . . .	12.00	
	<hr/>	\$77.00

Invested in Merrimack Co. Sav-		
ings-Bank, at 4 per cent., .	\$71.50	
Cash on hand, . . .	5.50	
	<hr/>	\$77.00

INCOME RECEIVED.

Interest accrued to Dec. 31, 1883,	\$5.90
Cash on hand,	5.90

EAST CONCORD CEMETERY FUND.

One half of proceeds of sales of lots. Income to be devoted to the care, protection, and ornamentation of East Concord Cemetery, through its committee.

Capital, Jan. 1, 1883, . . .	\$15.00	
Added during 1883, . . .	17.50	
	<hr/>	\$32.50

Invested in deposit in N. H. Sav-		
ings-Bank, . . .	\$20.00	
Cash on hand, . . .	12.50	
	<hr/>	\$32.50

No income yet accrued.

PAUL WENTWORTH TRUST.

Income to be devoted to the care of lot No. 64, south division, Old Cemetery.

Capital, Jan. 1, 1883, . . .	\$200.00
Invested in U. S. bonds, due 1907, at 4 per cent.,	\$200.00

INCOME RECEIVED.

Received for interest,	\$8.00
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EXPENDED.

Paid J. H. Chase, for expense incurred, . . .	\$6.55
Balance on hand,	1.45
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	\$8.00

THEODORE FRENCH TRUST.

Income to be devoted to the care of his lot, in Old Cemetery.

Capital, Jan. 1, 1883, . . .	\$100.00
Invested in U. S. bond, due 1907, at 4 per cent.,	\$100.00

INCOME RECEIVED.

Received for interest,	\$4.00
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EXPENDED.

Paid J. H. Chase, for expense incurred, . . .	\$2.00
Balance cash on hand,	2.00
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	\$4.00

JAMES McQUESTION TRUST.

Income to be devoted to the care of lot No. 23, Block G., Blossom Hill Cemetery.

Capital, Jan. 1, 1883, . . .	\$200.00
Invested in Merrimack Co. bond, due 1890, at 5 per cent.,	\$200.00

INCOME RECEIVED.

Received for interest,	\$10.00
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EXPENDED.

Paid J. H. Chase, for expense incurred, .	\$5.00
Balance on hand,	5.00
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	\$10.00

EDWARD L. KNOWLTON TRUST.

So much of the income of the trust as necessary, to be devoted to the care of lot No. 177, Block M., Blossom Hill Cemetery; balance of income, for building cemetery fence, &c., under conditions.

Capital,	\$1,000.00
Invested in Concord sewer bond, due 1886, at 4 per cent.,	\$1,000.00

INCOME RECEIVED.

Received for interest,	\$35.00
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EXPENDED.

Paid J. H. Chase, for expense incurred, .	\$9.50
Balance on hand,	25.50
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	\$35.00

ELIZA W. UPHAM TRUST.

Income to be devoted to the care of lot No. 27, Block K., Blossom Hill Cemetery.

Capital, \$200.00

Invested in Merrimack County Savings-
Bank, 4 per cent., \$200.00

INCOME RECEIVED.

Received for interest,	\$3.33
Cash on hand,	3.33

GEORGE G. FOGG TRUST.

Income to be devoted to care of Lot No. 38, Block R., in Blossom Hill Cemetery.

Capital, \$200.00

Invested in two shares of stock of the
Atchinson, Topeka & Santa Fé Rail-
road, \$200.00

No income yet accrued.